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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Appln. of: Timothy A.M. Chuter

Appln. No.: 10/816,780

Examiner: Julian W. Woo

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Art Unit: 3773

For: FLAT WIRE STENT

Conf. No.: 9975

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**PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME (37 CFR § 1.136(a))**

Mail Stop RCE  
Commissioner for Patents  
PO Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

This is a petition for an extension of the time to respond to a Final Office Action dated January 13, 2009 for a period of two month(s).

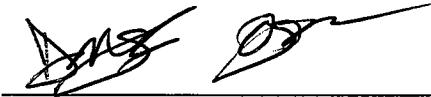
Applicant is:  small entity (per 37 CFR 1.27)  other than small entity

<u>Extension Months</u>	<u>Other Than Small Entity</u>	<u>Small Entity</u>
<input type="checkbox"/> One Month	\$130.00	\$65.00
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<input type="checkbox"/> Three Months	\$1,110.00	\$555.00
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Form PTO-2038 is enclosed for this purpose.
- The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge \$490 to cover the fees listed above to Deposit Account No. 23-1925.
- The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiencies in fees or credit overpayment to Deposit Account No. 23-1925.

Respectfully submitted,



Dated: May 21, 2009

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